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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Tao ZHANG Confirmation No.: 1561

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For: SUBSTRATE HANDLING DEVICE FOR A CHARGED PARTICLE BEAM

**SYSTEM** 

Date: May 30, 2008

RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371
IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the "Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. 371 in the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US)" indicated as being mailed by the United States Patent and Trademark Office on February 4, 2008 (but never received by the undersigned; Applicant's representative subsequently requested a copy be faxed by the PTO), Applicant respectfully submits herewith the following: (1) an executed Declaration and Power of Attorney executed by the inventor, (2) Petition for Extension of Time, and (3) authorization to charge any and all fee(s) that may be due including the \$460.00 extension fee and the \$130.00 surcharge fee.

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Notice dated February 4, 2008 be extended for a period of two (2) months from April 4, 2008 to **June 4, 2008**. The fee for this

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extension is believed to be \$460.00. The Commissioner is authorized to charge this and any

other fee which may now or hereafter be due in this application to Deposit Account No. 19-4709.

In accordance with the Notification, the surcharge for filing the enclosed Declaration

under 37 C.F.R. 1.492(h) is \$130.00. The Commissioner is authorized to charge this fee and any

other fees which may now or hereafter be due in this application to Deposit Account No. 19-

4709.

In the event that there are any questions, or should additional information be required,

please contact Applicants' attorney at the number listed below.

Respectfully submitted;

Date: May 30, 2008

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